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ELECTION AND AMENDMENT (37 C.F.R. § 1.111)

Sir:

This election and amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed June 7, 2006, for the above-noted patent application. The Office Action included a restriction requirement.

Election

Applicants hereby provisionally elect for further prosecution the claims in what the examiner has identified as Species A, comprising claims 29-33. Claims reading on species A include claims 29-33 and new claims 40-42. This election is made with traverse. Reasons for traverse are explained below in the remarks.

Amendment

In view of the above election, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner (1) enter the amendments to the specification, if any, in section I; (2) enter the amendments to the claims, if any, in section II; and (3) consider the specification amendments in section I and the claims in section II in view of the remarks in section III.